

June 7, 2004

Letter of Appeal
Federal Communications Commission

To Whom It May Concern:

The Galloway Township Board of Education ("the district") hereby requests a waiver for the Form 471 application deadline for the district's 471 Application Number 371317 containing FRNs 1013663, 1013790, 1013842 and 1015893.

The Form 471 was submitted shortly after the window closed. The form was not filed in time due to the unexpected hospitalization of the Technology Manager, Gil Chapman, who was responsible for the application.

Once the application was filed, no notification was received indicating any problem with the application, so it was not until the district tried to file a Form 486 that the district became aware of any problem with the original application. The SLD representative handling the Form 486 advised the district to withdraw the 486, wait for the funding to be denied, then file an appeal.

The district is appealing the out of window decision at this point, before receiving notification of denial of the funding requests.

The Galloway Township Board of Education requests that the Form 471 Application Number 372317 be certified "in-window," and FRNs 1013663, 1013790, 1013842 and 1015893 be fully funded.

Sincerely,

Gil Chapman
Technology Manager